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JEFI Science Timeline through 1999 May 10, 2011 (edited and added to, 11-2014)

First are some statements from John Fetzer on the importance of Science to his mission, followed by a list of major science programs through 1999.

#### Statements from John Fetzer on the importance of Science

In his 1967 paper, "This I Believe," John drew as one of his main conclusions: "In the new age that lies immediately ahead, through electronic instruments, direct communication between persons on the earth plane and those of the higher planes will become commonplace. This will solve forever the efficacy of the reality of life in other vibratory forms and the eternity of the human soul." And: "On the scientific side, we have attempted herein to extend the explanation of Einstein's Quantum Theory, which is the approach to electronics as the basis of life; namely, that there can be no effective religion, science, social or philosophical structure, nor satisfying living, outside the indisputable and basic fact that there is oneness in all things. Thus the spiritual forces united with the scientific ... now become the essence of the inner life force of man. Furthermore, your growth is in direct proportion to your degree of enlightenment concerning this Universal Principal."

In his 1973 "John E. Fetzer Foundation Preamble," John wrote:

"I have long felt that we are on the threshold of new discoveries of electronic anti-wave forms and that a whole spectrum of frequency radiation and force fields will be identified with anti-matter. Many years ago I was astonished to find that much of the same thesis seems to be alluded to in the writings of the Far East."

In the 1986 "A Talk with John Fetzer," three Foundation employees interviewed John Fetzer about his interests. Here is are a couple excerpts. "As a very young man I started seeing the link between engineering and spiritual philosophies ..." ... "When we were developing things right after World War I, Nicola Tesla was our Bible ... As I experimented and studied more of Tesla's work, I recognized that there are energy wave forms in the physical world. And I began to wonder if there were other, more subtle wave forms that we can't see with out eyes."

"I think one of the ultimate goals of the Foundation is just exactly the merging of science with what I prefer to call infinite energy ... I think that love is the core

energy that rules everything. It is the force field out of the electronic energy of creation. Love is the one ingredient that holds us all together."

In his Memorandum to The Board of Trustees, 7/15/88, John wrote "All of my professional life has been identified with electronic energy. It was that identification that was the guiding voice that lead to the establishment of the Foundation. Hence, my priority is relatively simple, and that is to open the door to research into biofield medicine which investigates energetic mechanisms of the total organism."

In John's Opening Remarks to the 4/24/89 Foundation Board Meeting, he said: "The Foundation was actually put together on a very simple premise, the simplest of premises. To that of research, education and service. Very simple - research, education and service. Three sides of the triangle. That's why our building was designed the way it was, to carry forward that purpose in that manner."

"My intent here was to make laboratory research a top priority."

In John's "The Founder's Statement," 9/29/89, he wrote: All of our research, whatever it be, in house or out, should, in the long term, basically open the door into the investigation of biofield energy as applied to the mechanism of the total organism."

In John's "Thoughts on Research," 10/4/89, he wrote:

"If you look into the mystical side of physics you will see that science, perhaps unknowingly, is ever teaching the path of the kundalini, of the chakras and of the aura, and of the tree of good and evil and of the tree of knowledge and light. In this old pseudo-science is great wisdom that is yet to be unfolded and understood. I believe this understanding will precipitate the consciousness of oneness with the great creative intelligence in which we are all a part."

"How that is developed and how that is understood and how that is presented should be a Foundation endeavor. ... in the time of mysticism, and in the time of alchemy and mythology, there were great statements of fact presented. It was presented in the consciousness of that day. Now it is presented through the eyes of quantum physics. That approach is something that needs to be brought into consonance with interpretations of the old mysticism and then be brought forward."

In the October 1989 issue of New Frontier Magazine, John wrote an article entitled, "May the Force Be With You," in which he stated:

"I feel that we are on the threshold of a new order where people will be seeking enlightened change. ... Humanity must transform its attitudes and actions. This will all come about with the infusion of spirituality into science. The Foundations eventual intent is to integrate the scientific process with spiritual mindfulness. We must recognize that both viewpoints have the right to exist where there is a

mutuality of purpose. Integration between concepts and disciplines is a crying need on this planet."

"A fundamental key to all this is to conduct this search with a proper line of scientific investigation. We are not only redefining the scientific process, we are also experimenting with it. From studies in advances physical, we know that the experimenter becomes part of the energy circuit of that being studied. And we know that the energy in equipment at this level is very subtle. We are also aware of the mind-body connection in us as human beings."

"As electrical energies power radio and television, so do the energies of the body, mind and spirit power the individual."

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### Fetzer Foundation Foundation/Institute Major Science Projects/Efforts 1970-1999

### 1970's Early Projects

1972 Fetzer contacts and visits institutions sponsoring scientific research in parapsychology to determine nature and extent of research being done.

#### 1973

- -- Brainwave research, UC-Berkeley (Jim Hardt)
- -- Near Death and Reincarnation Cases, U-Virginia (Ian Stevenson)
- -- Research in Parapsychology, Duke (Bill Roll)

1974 Foundation Trustees pass resolution to support "educational programs, retreats, and credit and noncredit seminar courses relating to parapsychology"

1970's Fetzer tours Europe visiting parapsychology centers in England, Spain, Germany, France

#### The 1980's

1977-89 Long Term Training in Brain Energy Feedback (Biofeedback Training Project), UC-San Francisco (James Hardt), approx. \$950,000.

1980-97 Engineering Anomalies Research Program, Princeton (Robert Jahn), approx. \$1mil+

1980-91 Investigation of Tibetan Meditation and Traditional Chinese Medicine and General Research Support (Self Regulation Research Program), Harvard, (Herbert Benson). Healing mechanisms in Tibetan and Buddhist monks in Northern India, study of "chi" in China. THe amounts of money given were approx. \$400,000

# (1984 the Detroit Tigers are sold and the Foundation Endowment soon grows to \$100+ million)

### 1984, out of total program budget of \$1.27 mil, all but \$18,000 went to Science, 98.5%

A.R.E. Research, \$311,800

UC-SF (Jim Hardt), \$65,700

Menninger (Elmer Green), \$55,200

PEAR (Bob Jahn), \$30,000

Life Beyond Death Research Foundation (George Meek)

Donation to IONS, \$87,000

Psychic Research, Inc., \$265,000

Realidad Cancer Motion Picture Program, \$147,000

Bay Research Institute, \$216,000

WMU Educational/Research Center, \$75,000

1984-88 Energy Medicine Research Project, A.R.E. Medical Clinic (Gladys and William McGarey), approx. \$1mil over these years

1984-6 "Physical Fields and States of Consciousness," Menninger Institute (Elmer Green), \$213,000

[which continued into 1988-91 Menninger Foundation, Copper Wall (Elmer Green)]

### 1985, all of the program budget of \$1.38 mil went to Science

Fetzer hires its first staff, LLoyd Zwierenga, Carolyn Dailey, Chuck Spence,

Bruce Fetzer

IONS, \$230,000

A.R.E. Research (McGarey), \$311,000

PEAR Lab (Jahn), \$31,000

UC-SF (Jim Hardt), \$66,000

Menninger (Elmer Green), \$60,000

WMU Educational/Research Center, \$75,000

Shealey Rehabilitation Center, \$192,000

Energy Healing Film Sercices, \$235,000

Electro-Healing Shielding Project, \$98,000

Electromagnetic Physiological Regeneration, \$76,000

# 1986, all of the program budget of \$.93 mil (smaller because the building was going up) went to Science

IONS, \$150,000

A.R.E. Research (McGarey), \$383,000

PEAR Lab (Jahn), \$45,000

UC-SF (Jim Hardt), \$120,000

Menninger (Elmer Green), \$60,800

WMU Educational/Research Center, \$75,000

Harvard, \$100,000

# 1987 the "new Board was elected, of Bedrij, Claflin, Jahn, Olds, Whitson); for '87 the program budget was approx \$1.14 mil, 96% of it went to science

PEAR Lab (Jahn), \$45,000

A.R.E. Research (McGarey), \$408,000

IONS, Inner Mechanisms \$8,000

Menninger (Elmer Green), \$61,000

Harvard, Chi Quong Research (Benson), \$110,000

UC-SF (Jim Hardt), \$143,000

Walter Reed Hospital: study on chelation, \$105,000

Institute for the Advancement of Health, \$40,000

World Research Foundation, \$25,000

Metascience Foundation (research on the effects of Buddhist meditation),

430,000

Oakland University, \$30,000

## 1988 (87-88) the program budget was approx \$.98mil, 100% of it went to science

PEAR Lab (Jahn), \$48,000

A.R.E. Research (McGarey), \$250,000

IONS, Inner Mechanisms, \$8,000

Menninger (Elmer Green), \$70,000

Harvard, Chi Quong Research (Benson), \$100,000

UC-SF (Jim Hardt), \$105,000

Purdue University, Research on Cardia Pacing, \$166,000

Borges Hospital, \$90,000

Institute for the Advancement of Health, \$40,000

World Research Foundation, \$25,000

### 1988-89, the program budget was \$3.3 mil, 88% of it went to science.

Fetzer Pioneers project ("Garage Scientists"), \$100,000

PEAR Lab (Jahn), \$54,000

Menninger (Elmer Green), \$83,000

Harvard (Benson), \$110,000

Walter Reed Hospital: study on chelation, \$105,000

Purdue University, Research on Cardia Pacing, \$142,150

Honorton Lab, \$135,000

Fetzer Fellows, \$200,000

UC-SF (Jim Hardt), \$60,000

IONS, Inner Mechanisms, \$50,000

A.R.E. Research (McGarey), \$220,000

Menninger/Fahrion, \$85,600

Templeton/Frontier Science, \$200,000

Heart Disease Research (Dean Ornish), \$80,000

Traditional Acupuncture Institute (Robert Duggan), \$25,000

1990/91, the program budget was \$1.6mil, approx 62% (\$.99mil) of it went to

#### science.

UC-SF (Jim Hardt), \$30,000

PEAR Lab (Jahn), \$110,000

IONS, Inner Mechanisms, \$50,000

Menninger (Elmer Green), \$79,500

Harvard (Benson), \$100,000

In-house lab (T.M. Srinivasen), \$250,000

Purdue University, Research on Cardia Pacing, \$32,250

IONS, Causality, \$50,000

Heart Disease Research (Dean Ornish), \$5,000

Fetzer Pioneers project ("Garage Scientists"), \$100,000

Electromagnetic Therapies in Breast Cancer (Nordenstrom), \$110,000

Heart Disease Research (Dean Ornish), \$125,000

CES/Meta Analysis, \$49,600

Orgone Energy Accumulator (Blasband), \$41,500

PNI-Carnegie Mellon (Cohen), \$50,000

Centerlink (Whitson), 55,000

Positive Control (Shapiro), \$50,000

Goleman, Mind and Life Research Network, \$49,250

Wallenczek, Cell Sensitivity, \$175,00000

### 1991/92, the program budget was \$3.85 mil, 28% (\$1.1 mil) of it went to science.

Institute of Medicine, \$150,000

Psoriasis, Kabit-Zinn, \$59,999

IONS, Inner Mechanisms, \$90,000

Breast Cancer (Spiege), \$94, 850

Copper Wall, phase 4, Green, \$149,100

Columbia CIIS (Sloan), \$225,000

Wallenczek, Cell Sensitivity, \$188,500

In-house lab (T.M. Srinivasen), \$150,000

Fetzer Pioneers project ("Garage Scientists"), \$100,000

Heart Disease Research (Dean Ornish), \$125,000

Alternative Medicine: establishing the Center for Meaning and Health, MSU

(Robert Smith), \$163,400

### In 1992/93, the program budget was \$4.8 mil, 15.6% (\$.75 mil) of it went to science.

Wallenczek, Cell Sensitivity, \$111,300

Beliefs and Cancer (Holland), \$84,900

Harvard Center of Alternative Medicine Eisenberg, \$147,950

Harvard Center of Alternative Medicine Eisenberg, \$747,80

### 1993-94 the program budget was \$4.23 mil, 39.7% (\$1.68 mil) of it went to science.

NIH Stress and Diabetes, \$100,000

Stress and Asthma FOllowup, \$185,000

NIH Funding/Trials, \$300,000

NIH Aging and Spirituality, \$186,000

NIH Rehab and Spirituality, \$170,000

Meta Analyses (Eisenberg), \$199,860

Aaron/Phillips Genes: \$140,000

Wallenczek, Bioelectrodynamics, \$138,000

### 1994/95 the program budget was \$4.9 mil, 47.7% (\$2.34 mil) of it went to science.

NIH-related projects: \$1.16mil

Biobehavioral Pain Research, \$240,000

Behavorial Medicine, \$124,000

Menopause-Psychosocial/Spiritual, \$253,500

Menopause Focus Group, \$207, 500

Aging and Spirituality, \$150,000

Rehab/Spirituality, \$150,000

Walleczek Bioelectromagnetics, \$250,000

Walleczek Stanford Center, \$375,000

Fellowship-Theoretical BEMS, \$100,000

### 1995-96 the program budget was \$2.73 mil, 41.2% (\$2.73 mil) of it went to science.

Psychosocial Factor/Asthma, \$565,000

Written Emot. Expressions, \$139,400

Spirituality/Heart Disease, \$150,000

Rehabilitation/Spirituality, \$100,000

Aging/Spirituality, \$100,000

National Health Survey, \$135,000

Harvard Center Extension, \$261, 600

Rochester Center for PNI, \$288,700

Wallenczek Project, Stanford, \$350,300

Fellowship-Engstrom, \$130,000

### 1996-97 the program budget was \$7.15 mil, 35.9% (\$2.57 mil) of it went to science.

Pain and Suffering, \$475,000

Self-Report Issues, \$350,000

WHOQOL Spirituality Mode, \$120,000

Spirituality/Alcoholism, \$150,000

Spirit/Health/Aging, \$120,000

Frontier Medical Research, \$225,000

Harvard Center, \$224,400

Rochester Center, \$200,000

Wallenczek Project, Stanford, \$452,400

Neiman-BEM Fellowship, \$130,000

## 1997-98 the program budget was \$11.88 mil, 22.6% (\$2.68 mil) of it went to science.

Templeton/Forgiveness, \$300,000
Community Interventions, \$152,000
Relationship.Placebo Res., \$150,000
Collaborative Projects-NIMH, \$200,000
Spirituality/Alcoholism, \$250,000
Colloborative Projects-NIMH, \$100,000
Harvard Center, \$261,700
Relationship/Placebo Res. \$150,000
PNI Center, \$200,000
Wallezcek-EMF Interaction, \$358,900
Klivington-Bioelectromagnetics, \$130,000

## 1998-99 the program budget was \$13.39 mil, 22.2% (\$2.98 mil) of it went to science.

Easing Pain and Suffering, \$500,000 WHO, Spirituality, Quality of Llfe, \$250,000 Spiritual Resources, Health, \$192,500 Unconditional Love, \$1,000,000 Harvard Center, \$261,700 Wallezcek-EMF Interaction, \$379,400 Klivington-Bioelectromagnetics, \$130,000